

Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached corrected sheets of drawings include changes to Figures 1—4. Drawing objections noted in the Detailed Action have been corrected. These corrected drawings replace the original drawings.

Attachment: Replacement Sheets (2 pages)

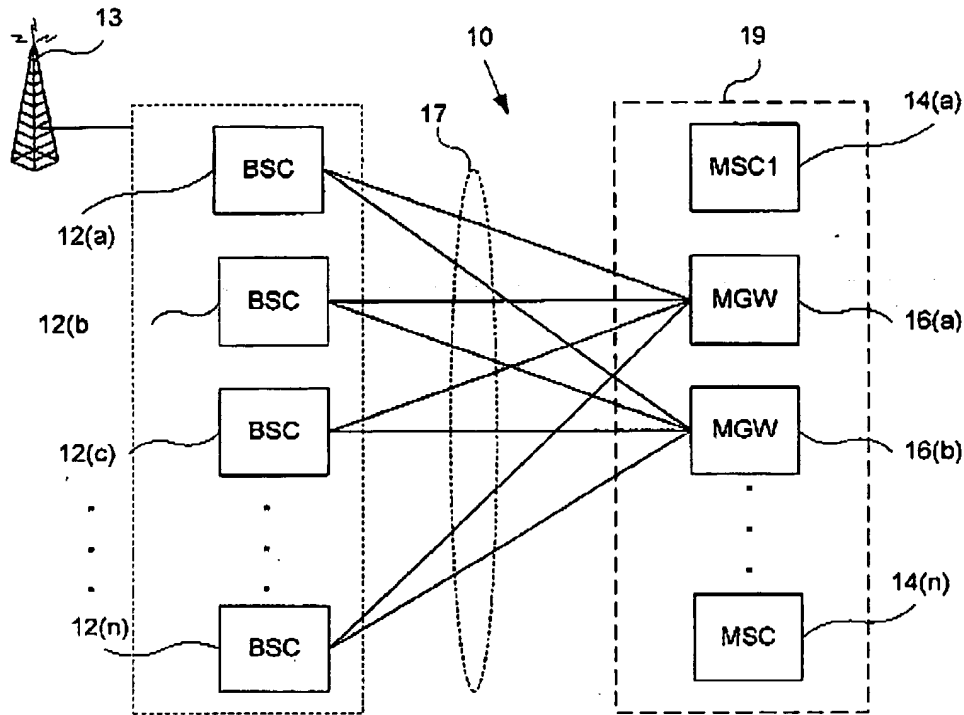


FIGURE 1
(Prior Art)

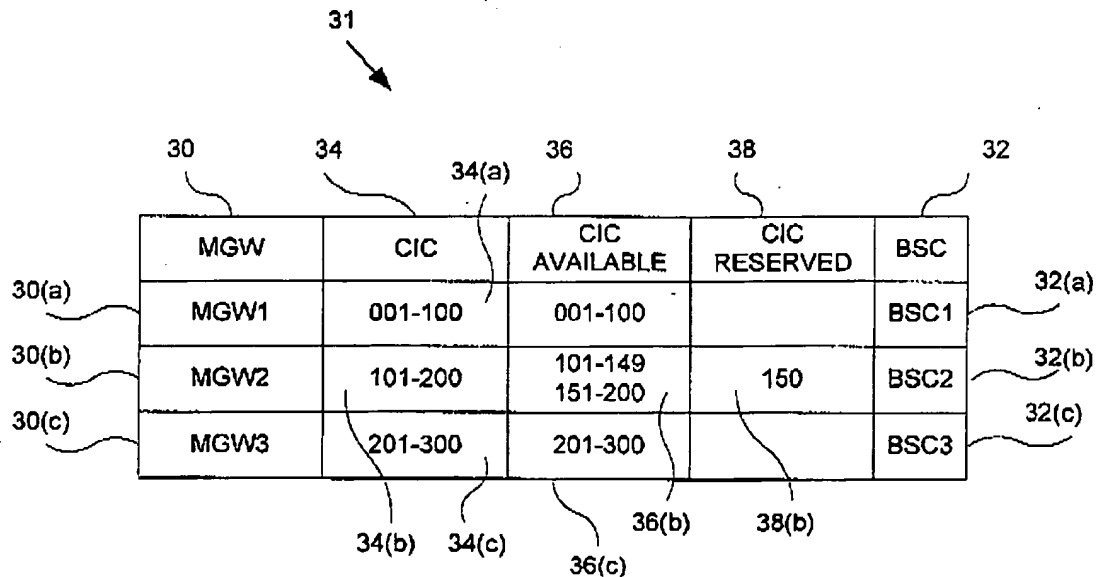


FIGURE 3

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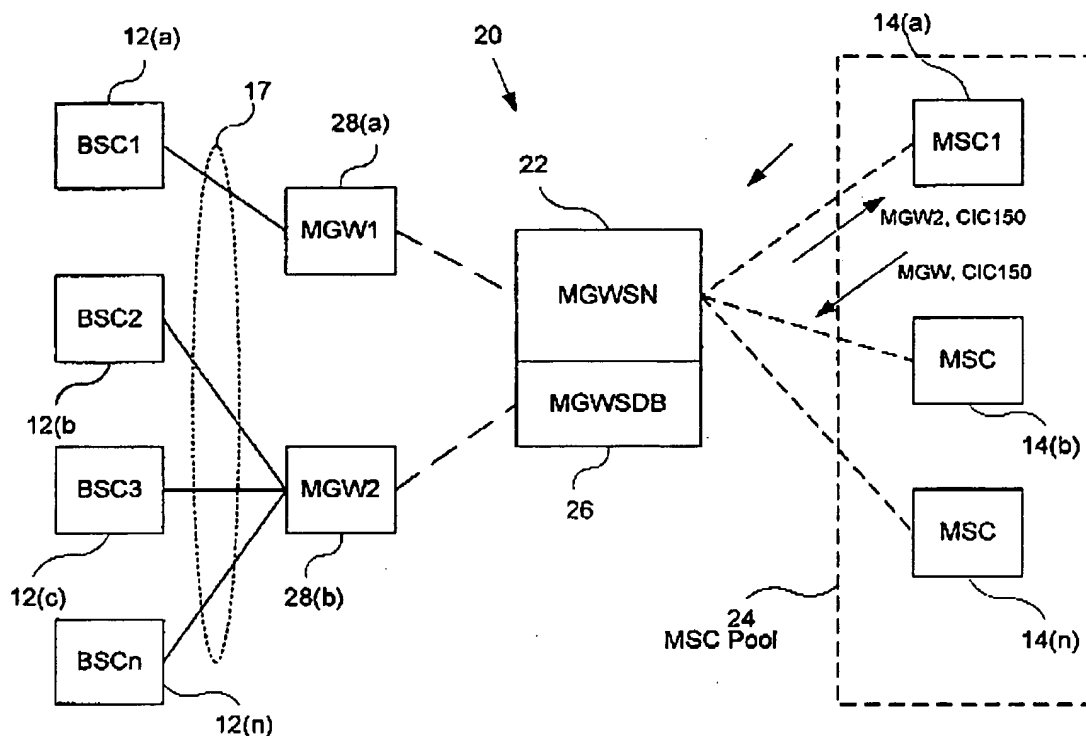


FIGURE 2

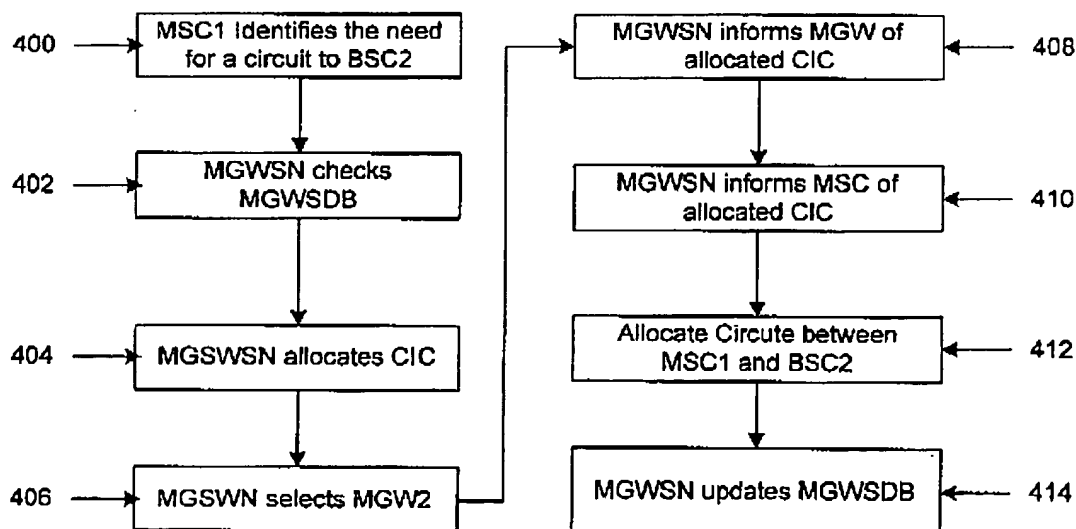


FIGURE 4